

WEST TISBURY PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES JUNE 7, 2017

PRESENT; Hap Bernard, Skip Manter, Lisa Amols, Suzanne Hammond, Charlie Kernick, Margo McClellan and Peggy Stone.

Charli and Margo are members of Friends of the Mill Pond. They came to discuss the plaque installation and the area around the pond. Charlie said the plaque explains the historical importance of the Mill Pond. He said the Conservation commission has approved the placement of the rock the plaque will go on. He invited the committee to the dedication on Sunday July 9 at 11:30am. Lisa asked what they're concerns were. Charlie said mainly the upkeep of the park. They would like to see more plantings and mulching if the town is willing. Skip mentioned you can't even see the pond from the benches that are there. Margo mentioned maybe planting more plants that flower. Skip said he was there when the pond was made; he does not want to see any more plantings.

Hap said the Concom only allows a certain amount of cutting. Charlie said the path to Alleys is too narrow as well. Skip made a motion to approve the placement of the rock. All agreed. Margo mentioned Charlie had a good idea to get the MVRHS horticultural class involved somehow. She has already spoken with the Garden Club and they might want to help as well. Skip said they would have to make a presentation to the Concom . Hap said we should speak to Maria about hardener or gravel to the parking area.

In other business, Lisa asked about the town picnic. Skip the last one was for the Centennial, 25 years ago. Peggy will go to run the games. No other member other than Skip can make it.

Suzanne said sign by the path from Look Park is a bit confusing and isn't facing the path. Skip said to talk with the Land Bank about the sign.

Hap said we need to remind Zak about Seth's and Mill Pond mowing. Also, order new picnic tables for the playground. Skip said we need to remind Joe about the staff parking at LCB. Suzanne suggested we have the staff come to a meeting to tell them the rules. Skip said we should speak with Joe and he deals with the staff. He's the supervisor. All agreed.

The boardwalk is going in at LCB tomorrow. Jesse will also take care of the new stakes and roping to keep people off the dunes as well as the handicap signs in the lot.

Lisa asked what we decided about the chalkboard paint for the scoreboard at Manter. Hap said to remind him and he will follow up.

The next meeting was set for Wednesday, July5, at 6pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:45pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Peggy Stone
Board Administrator